State of California Office of Administrative Law

Board of Optometry

NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF REGULATORY

Regulatory Action:

Government Code Section 11349.3

Title 16, California Code of Regulations

Adopt sections:

Amend sections:

Repeal sections:

OAL File No. 2010-1103-01 SR

This rulemaking action implements Senate Bill 1406, Chapter 352, Statutes of 2008, by establishing the requirements for the certification of optometrists to treat all primary open-angle glaucoma and exfoliation and pigmentary glaucoma. The rulemaking action also specifies continuing education requirements for glaucoma-certified optometrists and the exemption from the didactic instruction and case management requirements for certification for optometrists who completed their education from accredited schools or colleges of optometry on or after May 1, 2008.

OAL approves this regulatory action pursuant to section 11349.3 of the Government Code. This regulatory action becomes effective on 1/8/2011.

Date:

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